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Preliminary Amendment attached.

Applicant: Daniel Worledge, et al.  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is a preliminary amendment to the above-captioned patent application. Please amend the application as follows.

It is believed that no fee is required with this submission. However, should a fee be required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0510.

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**Amendment**

**In the Specification**

Please insert the following paragraph starting on page 1, line 6.

**STATEMENT REGARDING FEDERALLY SPONSORED RESEARCH OR**

**DEVELOPMENT**

The present invention was developed as part of federally sponsored DARPA Contract

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**Remarks**

This is a preliminary amendment inserting a paragraph identifying funding from a U. S. Government DARPA contract. This statement is required under 37 C.F.R. §1.77(b)(3)

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